

BRAINERD CARNIVAL HERE ON FEB. 10

R. R. LIVINGSTON WANTS NEW TRIAL

Farmer-Financier Orders Transcript Made of the Testimony Taken at the Trial in District Court

Livingston Was Taken to Stillwater Early This Morning to Serve the Sentence Imposed on Him

R. R. Livingston, sentenced to Stillwater following his conviction on the charge of grand larceny in the first degree, was taken to the penitentiary on the early morning train, being accompanied by Sheriff Claus A. Theorin.

Before leaving, the farmer-financier had been in conference with George W. Moody, court reporter and had ordered a transcript made of the testimony of the trial in the district court before Judge W. S. McClenahan as Livingston is preparing to ask for a new trial.

Thomas Lawson Before Committee on Note Leak

(By United Press), Washington, Jan. 15.—Minus headlines Thomas Lawson and the house leak committee got down to business after voting in executive session to introduce a resolution broadening the power of the committee and extending its life to 90 days. Thomas Lawson was the first witness. Society women flocked to the meeting, seats being at a premium.

McAdoo and Henry Mentioned in the Leak Probe

(By United Press), Washington, Jan. 15.—Thomas Lawson names Henry as his informant in the leak probe. McAdoo, Pres. Wilson's son-in-law, is also mentioned in the proceedings.

HIGHER POSTAL RATES ON PAPERS STRICKEN

Washington, Jan. 15.—Postoffice department recommendations for a zone system, increasing postal rates on newspapers and magazines for penny postage on local deliveries and for curtailment of the pneumatic tube mail service in cities, were stricken out of the annual postoffice bill by the house, sitting as a committee of the whole.

It is expected another vote on the provision will be demanded when the measure comes up for passage and if they again are rejected they will be reintroduced in the form of separate bills.

The postoffice bill, carrying appropriations of \$322,000,000, was completed in committee of the whole and house leaders expect to pass it on Tuesday.

CATHOLIC EDITOR IS DEAD

W. H. Hughes of Detroit, Mich., Succumbs to Long Illness.

Detroit, Jan. 15.—William H. Hughes, editor and publisher of the Michigan Catholic, died at his home here after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Hughes was born in Grand Rapids, Mich., sixty-four years ago and was well known to Catholic clergymen all over the United States.

CIGARETTE LID PROPOSED

Oklahoma House Passes Bill Prohibiting Sale and Smoking.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Jan. 15.—By 79 to 21 the house of representatives of Oklahoma passed the McCollister anti-cigarette bill prohibiting smoking, giving away or selling cigarettes in Oklahoma. The bill now goes to the senate.

Want State Aid Suppress Strikes

(By United Press), St. Paul, Jan. 15.—Gov. Burnquist will be asked this afternoon to give his approval to the proposed emergency appropriations to aid northern counties in suppressing strikes, the request being made by Sullivan, of St. Cloud, Denegre of St. Paul and Gjerset of Montevideo.

To Reinstate Some County Commissioners

(By United Press), St. Paul, Jan. 15.—Gov. Burnquist is conducting a hearing in the proposed reinstatement of some county commissioners in Koochiching county who were temporarily ousted in September. M. J. Brown, a Bemidji attorney, has been appointed by the governor to take evidence.

Are Subject to an Income Tax

(By United Press), Washington, Jan. 15.—The government won an important victory when the supreme court, reversing the lower court, held that three land companies in Minneapolis were subject to an income tax.

Demands Unreasonable

(By United Press), Washington, Jan. 15.—Sec. Daniels plans to equip the navy yards so they can build one-third of the ships and manufacture one-third of the munitions at all times. Two-thirds of the demands made by munition manufacturers are unreasonable.

All Hope Abandoned

(By United Press), Eureka, Cal., Jan. 15.—All hope of saving the cruiser Milwaukee has been abandoned, as the vessel has begun to break up. Lieut. Newton, expert engineer, after his trip of inspection to the vessel, says there is no possibility of getting her off.

Mother will Help

(By United Press), Kansas City, Jan. 15.—Mrs. C. D. Benfer, mother of Weldon Wells, who is held at Columbus for the murder of Mona Simons, will go to his relief and do everything in her power to free her boy.

Aviators are Seen

(By United Press), San Francisco, Jan. 15.—Lieut. Col. Bishop and Lieut. Robertson, two army aviators missing since Wednesday were seen Sunday passing over Sierra Mecha according to a telegram received, by a party of Mexicans.

Steamer is Sunk

London, Jan. 15.—The steamer Minnesota which was sunk by a head on lock collision, was not the property of the Great Northern railway.

JUDGE LANDIS.

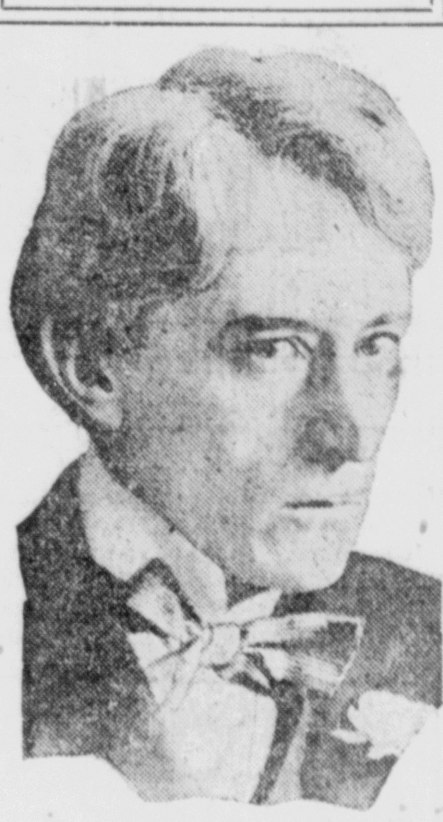


Photo by American Press Association.

RIGHT TO FIX RAIL RATES

Federal Judge Decides Illinois Has That Authority. Chicago, Jan. 15.—Authority of the state of Illinois to fix railroad rates within its own borders was upheld in the United States district court when Judge Landis dismissed for want of equity the petition of twenty-eight railroad companies asking an injunction against the enforcement of the 2-cent a mile passenger rate.

The railroads announced they would appeal the case to the United States supreme court. The ruling of the higher court will directly affect ten other states where 2-cent passenger rates are now in effect.

In deciding the case Judge Landis said: "It is my opinion and conclusion that there is no earthly power, no possible power in the interstate commerce commission, under the guise of relieving St. Louis and Keokuk of discrimination, to repeal the Illinois 2-cent fare."

Carranzistas Will Take Over Torreon

(By United Press), Washington, Jan. 15.—It is hinted that 10,000 Carranzistas have arrived at Torreon from the south to take over the territory as soon as Gen. Pershing's column is withdrawn from Mexico.

Can a Policeman Live on 25 Cents a Day



These twelve policemen of New York City have entered on a diet test under the auspices of the Life Extension Institute, which has William H. Taft for chairman of its board of directors. Dr. Eugene L. Flak, medical director of the institute, wants to learn if they can live on 25 cents a day for food—the cost of the cooking the service and the food. Their first breakfast consisted of two ounces of oatmeal, unlimited milk, two slices of buttered toast and unlimited coffee. "I wish they'd give me some ham and eggs," said one copper.

Brainerd's first winter carnival will be held on Saturday, February 10. At a meeting at the Chamber of Commerce rooms committees of the Brainerd Northern Pacific Marching club and the Chamber of Commerce perfected their organization by electing F. H. Simpson, vice president of the Citizens State bank, chairman of the general committee, and Fred T. Lincoln, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, secretary.

Chairmen of sub-committees were named as follows: Reception committee, J. P. Anderson; hotels, Wm. Nelson; program location of races, etc., Carl Wright; advertising, John A. Hoffbauer.

The members of the Brainerd Northern Pacific Marching club committee are J. P. Anderson, D. K. Fullerton, W. E. Corkrey, Charles E. Cole and H. L. Jones. These were the delegates from the Chamber of Commerce, Wm. Nelson, Carl Zapffe, F. H. Simpson, Carl Wright and John A. Hoffbauer.

Letters of invitation will be addressed to Bemidji, Crookston, Thief River Falls and other marching clubs and to citizens and organizations of towns throughout this section of the state. It is planned to have a decorator from the cities in Brainerd to assist the merchants in beautifying their places of business.

It is proposed to make this first annual carnival in Brainerd a permanent institution. St. Paul, alone, is expected to send to Brainerd a delegation of 1200 uniformed carnival marching club members, traveling in two special trains.

The general committee meets again on Tuesday evening at the Chamber of Commerce.

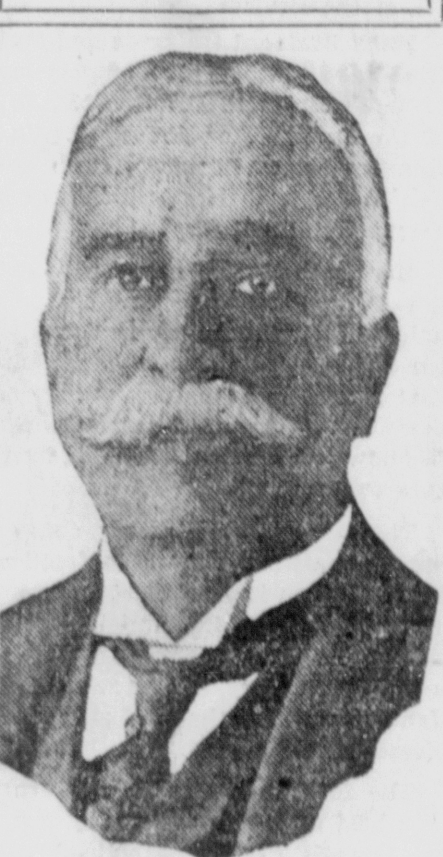
Supreme Court Upholds Karl Lisbknecht Socialist Leader Prison Sentence

(By United Press), Washington, Jan. 15.—The United States supreme court has upheld the conviction in the famous Dicks-Cammett Mann white slave case.

Begin Fight for Defense of Thaw

(By United Press), Harrisburg, Jan. 15.—Attorneys for the Thaw family have begun the fight for the defense of Harry Thaw, indicted for kidnapping and assaulting in New York state. Protests were entered by Henry Scott, Philadelphia, against extradition papers without a hearing.

ADMIRAL DEWEY.



By Walden Fawcett.

Admiral Dewey is Near Death's Door

(By United Press), Washington, Jan. 15.—Admiral George Dewey's death is expected momentarily. He is 79 years of age and has been suffering for five days with a cold and a general break down.

Karl Lisbknecht Socialist Leader Prison Sentence

(By United Press), Zurich, Jan. 15.—Karl Lisbknecht, German socialist leader, has been sentenced to four and a half years imprisonment at hard labor and expulsion from the bar, according to Berlin advices. Karl Lisbknecht has been almost constantly in trouble with the German authorities on account of anti-war socialist speeches, both within and without the Reichstag.

Widespread Suffering Intense Cold Cities Out of Gas

Dallas, Texas, Jan. 15.—This city, Ft. Worth, Denton, Gainesville and other north Texas towns will be entirely out of gas before night. The temperature is 25 and widespread suffering of 100,000 people is predicted.

GERMANS CAPTURE MODONI

Berlin, Jan. 15.—An official statement says that the capture in a storm by a hand to hand conflict of the village of Modoni from the Russian forces south of the Sereth river was effected, despite unfavorable weather conditions. In the north Susuta valley the recently captured German position was entered by the Russian and Rumanian forces, elsewhere the enemy was repulsed.

LIVELY ARTILLERY EXCHANGE

Berlin, Jan. 15.—An official report says that a lively artillery fire in the north Somme patrol were held, and at several places the hostile patrols repulsed our reconnoitering detachments, but they succeeded in bringing in a number of prisoners and machine guns.

No Men Perish in Fire.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Two persons were burned to death in a fire which destroyed a two-story North Side dwelling house. One of the victims, Carl Botcher, was seventy years old and blind. With him perished Hans Thompson, aged thirty-three, a teamster.

\$1,000 CASH PRIZES ADDED TO TROPHIES

State Trapshooters to Find Brainerd a Perfect Mecca for Sport on June 21, 22 and 23

From 200 to 300 Shots Expected in Brainerd, and Many Will Stay over Sunday to go Fishing

FIERCE ATTACKS BRING RESULTS

Teutons Again Defeat Russians on Sereth River.

FAIL AT SEVERAL POINTS

Petrograd Reports Repulse of Austro-Germans North of the Saloniki River, South of the Oltuz River and in the Region of Radulesci.

London, Jan. 15.—Under fierce attacks the Teutonic allies have made further progress against the Russians along the Sereth southwest of Galatz, capturing the village of Kotumihail and also the town of Vadeni, on the railroad between Braila and Galatz, six miles from Galatz.

Petrograd reports the repulse of the Austro-Germans at various other points in Roumania, notably north of the Saloniki river, south of the Oltuz river and in the region of Radulesci to the east of Fokshani.

On the northern end of the Russian front in the vicinity of Riga the Germans delivered a heavy attack against the Russians east of Kalknem, but were repulsed.

On the other fronts the usual artillery engagements and small operations by patrol and reconnoitering parties continue.

8,000,000 WILL LOSE JOBS

British Government Must Release Vast Army When Peace Comes.

London, Jan. 15.—It is estimated that between 6,000,000 and 8,000,000 of persons now employed by the government, representing half of the wage earning population of the United Kingdom, will have to be discharged at the end of the war, according to the report of the committee on labor problems after the war.

All these workers will not be discharged simultaneously, but it is probable that within two months after peace has been declared some 2,000,000 or 3,000,000 workers will be turned off.

Regarding the army demobilization the committee calculates that the rate of disbandment cannot exceed 5,000 daily, at which rate six months would be occupied in demobilizing less than 1,000,000 of the huge army.

CAPTURE TWO SUBMARINES

Vessels Are Now in Entente Service, Rome Says.

Rome, Jan. 15.—The capture of two submarines is reported in an announcement from the war office. "The enemy submarine VC-12, which the German navy ceded to Austria-Hungary," the statement says, "has fallen into our hands and become a unit of our torpedo squadrons. "Another enemy submarine, the VT-12, belonging to the Austro-Hungarian navy, also is in our possession."

GENERAL VILJOEN IS DEAD

Took Prominent Part in the Last Boer War.

Lamesa, N. M., Jan. 15.—General Benjamin J. Viljoen, who took a prominent part in the Boer war, died at his home near here of pneumonia. He was a commander in the field and a member of the Boer parliament at one time.

After the Boer war General Viljoen came to the United States and established a colony of his countrymen near here. He acted as military adviser to Francisco I. Madero during the Madero revolution.

The state shoot for trap shooters will be held in Brainerd June 21, 22 and 23, and it is expected that of the 200 to 300 shots here, many will stay over for a Sunday fishing trip.

The Riverside Gun club of Brainerd assisted by the Chamber of Commerce is making preparations for entertaining the contestants. \$1,000 cash will be added to the various trophies on the prize list.

At the Sunday meeting held at the Chamber of Commerce H. W. Linne-mann presided. The club decided to raise \$500, a program and advertising booklet will be issued and the Chamber will be asked for a donation. Postals are to be addressed to all the gun clubs of the country, asking them to participate.

The members of the advertising and program committee are H. W. Linne-mann, O. H. Johnson, W. H. Cleary, Clyde E. Parker, Art White and James Davis.

At the election of the Riverside Gun club these officers were elected: President, A. C. White; vice president, H. L. Paine; secretary-treasurer, Edw. Anderson; assistant secretary, George E. Trent, Jr.; field captain, J. C. Davis.

Inquiries have been received from many western states including California regarding the shoot.

STUDENTS TO AID FRANCE

Harvard Men Will Sail Feb. 17 to Join Ambulance Corps.

Cambridge, Mass., Jan. 15.—Twenty-five Harvard students will sail for France on Feb. 17 to serve in the American ambulance corps. Richard C. Harter of Philadelphia, the star baseball and football player, will go with another contingent in June.

ITALIAN GENERAL IS DEAD

Commander of Albanian Expedition Victim in Sinking of Battleship.

Rome, Jan. 15.—Lieutenant General Bandini, commander of the Italian Albanian expeditionary corps, was among those lost aboard the Italian battleship Regina Margherita, the sinking of which by a mine on Dec. 11 recently was officially confirmed.

VILLA CHIEF AND SIXTY SLAIN

Bandit Leader Morfo Falls in Battle North of Parral.

Chihuahua City, Mex., Jan. 15.—The Villa chief, Zeferino Morfo, and sixty followers were killed in the fight on Jan. 10 at Parral de Conchas, forty miles north of Parral, according to details of the action received here from General Pablo Gonzales, commanding the government troops in the field.

AUSTRIAN MINISTER IS ILL

Count von Chudenitz is Suffering From an Abscess of Jaw.

London, Jan. 15.—Count Ottokar Czernin von Chudenitz, the Austro-Hungarian foreign minister, is ill in bed as a result of an abscess of the upper jaw. Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent says, quoting a Vienna dispatch.

BREAK WITH GERMANY IS DEMANDED.

Washington, Jan. 15.—A petition from Massachusetts, carrying 15,281 names, demanding severance of relations with Germany unless the Belgian deportations are stopped, has been forwarded by the state department to President Wilson.

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THE WEATHER
Weather Forecast for Next 24 Hours.
Increasing cloudiness followed by
snow tonight and Tuesday. Slowly
rising temperature.
Temperature at Brainerd, reported
by Theodore Miller, observer at
Brainerd:
January 13, maximum 4 below,
minimum 30 below.
January 14, maximum 10 below,
minimum 40 below.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

* **News of Parties, Visitors, Vi-**
* **sits, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,**
* **gratefully received by the Dis-**
* **patch. Both phones, North-**
* **west 74, Automatic 274.**

Mrs. Lester Bratt returned to Crow
Wing this afternoon.

The first Symphony rehearsal will
be held at Camel's hall tonight.

For spring water phone 264. tf

Mrs. Fred T. Lincoln and children
have gone to Minneapolis where they
will spend the week.

A chimney fire near the Empress
theatre Saturday night caused some
alarm, but no damage.

William Andre, who has been visit-
ing Severn Swanson, returned home
this afternoon to Coleraine.

Mrs. Harry Koop and little son,
Billy, visiting relatives, returned to-
day to their home in Crosby.

The Committee on Committees of
the Chamber of Commerce will meet
Tuesday evening at the Chamber.

Maurice LeMoine, who was at Du-
luth for some time, passed through
Brainerd today on his way to Little
Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Reilly, who at-
tended the funeral of her father, Wm.
Meekins, have returned to their home
in Detroit.

A regular meeting of the city coun-
cil will be held this Monday evening.
As it is pay day night, the session will
undoubtedly be a short one.

The Speedwell baseball club will
give a benefit dance at Gardner audi-
torium Monday evening, February 19.
The Blue Ribbon orchestra will play.

Miss May Jones left Brainerd Sat-
urday for Dundee, N. Y., where she
has accepted a position as supervisor
of physical culture in the schools of
that city.

Lars Swelland's thermometer, al-
ways of an energetic nature, indicat-
ed 44 below at 8:30 this morning.
Many of the cheaper kinds of bulbs
quit business entirely.

Joe Jakovich left the city this noon
for Hot Springs, Ark., where he will
spend a couple months at the cele-
brated resorts in an effort to recover
from rheumatic affections.

Fred T. Lincoln, secretary of the
Chamber of Commerce, is Brainerd's
delegate to the All-Minnesota Devel-
opment Association meeting at St.
Paul on January 18 and 19.

Chief of Police Henry Squires, who
has been testifying in federal court
at Duluth, is expected home on Mon-
day night. During his absence John
Taylor was chief of the force.

County Auditor C. W. Mahlum
went to St. Paul this afternoon where

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Close at 9 p. m.
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he will attend the meeting of the
state association of county auditors
to be held on Tuesday and Wednes-
day.

Rev. Elof Carlson went to Attkin
this afternoon to attend a business
meeting of the "Lutheranen," the
magazine published in the interests
of the Swedish Lutheran churches of
this district.

The body of Enos Barbeau, who
passed away at International Falls,
was taken to Fergus Falls for burial.
His brother, B. W. Barbeau, and other
relatives went to Fergus Falls on
Monday to attend the funeral.

Mrs. Ellender E. Lee, age 54, wife
of L. J. Lee, died of appendicitis, a
ruptured appendix causing periton-
itis. The funeral was held this after-
noon at 2 o'clock from the Salva-
tion Army hall, officers there officiat-
ing at the services.

Many Brainerd trainmen and their
friends will attend the annual ball
given by Brainerd Division No. 197,
of the O. R. C. on Friday evening,
January 19, at Demarals Bros. new
hall in Staples. Hands orchestra of
Fergus Falls will play.

Miss Ruth M. Robinson has recent-
ly suffered from a case of blood pois-
oning in her hip and was confined to
her bed. Her hip was in such shape
that it was found necessary to oper-
ate at Northwestern hospital. She
has now recovered and is able to ven-
ture out of doors.

The case of L. F. Gartner, charged
with permitting minors to frequent
his pool room in Northeast Brainerd,
was set for trial in municipal court
next week, Gartner having demanded
a jury. The jury will be selected on
January 22, and the trial started on
Tuesday, January 23.

The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Carney
was held at 9 o'clock Monday morn-
ing from St. Francis Catholic church,
Rev. Father J. J. O'Mahoney officiat-
ing. Mrs. Carney had resided in
Brainerd many years, her husband
having been one of the oldest engi-
neers on the Northern Pacific railway
system.

Rev. Elof Carlson, pastor of the
Swedish Lutheran church, will have
his study open for callers weeks days
from 9 in the morning to 1 in the
afternoon. Later in the afternoon he
is out attending to calls in the pas-
torate. Members and others are
asked to please take notice of the
hours named.

Three hundred Northern Pacific
Marching Club carnival suits are ex-
pected tonight, also a consignment of
socks, etc., and club members hope
all will be provided for in order to
enable them to wear their suits at
the dance of the marching club and
band on Tuesday night, January 16,
at Gardner hall.

L. S. Budd, for many years in busi-
ness in this city being connected
with the fuel firm of Fisher & Budd
and later with the Mahlum Lumber
Co., has located at Franklin, N. J.,
where he has entered into a partner-
ship with H. B. Solomon, his cousin,
and has purchased an established
coal business. Lumber and all kinds
of building material will be added to
the business. Mr. Budd's family will
not leave for the east until the end
of the school year. Franklin is a
city of 4,000 people, is but 40 miles
from New York city, and large zinc
mines are being operated there.

* **BOYS SHOULD TAKE HEED** *
* Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 15 *
* —Every time any little boy *
* plays hooky from school it costs *
* him \$10, according to G. F. *
* Womrath, business superintendent *
* of schools, in a statement *
* today. Here's the way he fig- *
* ures it: Average annual earn- *
* ing capacity of educated men, *
* \$1,000; average earning capac- *
* ity of uneducated men, \$450; *
* life's earning capacity, educat- *
* ed men, \$18,000; uneducated *
* men, \$18,000; difference, \$22, *
* 000; school period for educa- *
* tion 12 years; total days at- *
* tendance at school, 2160. The *
* difference between educated and *
* uneducated, then, is just 2160 *
* days, which at \$10 a day, bal- *
* ances the \$22,000 in the life's *
* earning power of men. *
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To Stop Self-Poisoning

For furred and coated tongue, bil-
iousness, sour stomach, indigestion,
constipation and other results of a
fermenting and poisoning mass of un-
digested food in the stomach and
bowels, there is nothing better than
that old-fashioned physic—Foley Ca-
thartic Tablets. Do not gripe nor
sicken; act promptly. H. P. Dunn,
druggist.—Adv. mwf

When making chocolate fudge add
two or three tablespoonfuls of juice
from apple sauce. This makes a pleas-
ant flavor.

**WIN NATIONAL
CLUB PENNANT**

Mission Lake Boys and Girls are
Leasers in a Potato Growing
Contest of Minnesota

THE NATIONAL CLUB MEDALS

Highest Yield Secured by Any Con-
testant in the County Was
Scott Mitchel

County Agent E. A. Colquhoun is
in receipt of a letter from T. A.
Erickson, state leader of Boys and
Girls Industrial Contest Work, which
states that the boys and girls in the
Mission Lake club have won the na-
tional club pennant which is award-
ed to twenty of the highest scoring
clubs in the state.

The members of this club are Mel-
vin Young, Jacquith Taylor, Carl
Faupel, Ralph Borden and Ha Sabin.
A club to compete must have at least
five members and awards are to be
based on the average standing of the
members. Every boy or girl must
finish the contest in raising 1-8 of an
acre of potatoes; send in his report,
write a story telling how the potatoes
were raised and exhibit one peck of
the potatoes at the meeting of the
Northern Minnesota Development as-
sociation.

The members of the clubs are also
eligible in the individual contest, and
in this Melvin Young received a cash
prize, but the letter does not state
the amount of it. The first prize is
\$15.00, the second \$10.00, third \$5
and the next best ten, each \$2.00.

In the individual contest the fol-
lowing completed their records and
reports and each will receive a na-
tional club medal:

Melvin Young, Jacquith Taylor,
Carl Faupel, Ralph Borden, Ha Sa-
bin, all of Mission Lake; Earl Olson,
Stella Olson, Ernest Moberg, Clar-
ence J. Bakken, Ella M. Grove, Leon
M. Greeve and Albert Boeder, all of
Pequot; Scott Mitchel, Swanburg;
Eben Britton, Lyle Lewis, Hans An-
derson, all of Brainerd.

The highest yield secured by any
of the contestants in the county was
received by Scott Mitchel who raised
42 bushels on 1-8 of an acre. He
raised the Rural New Yorkers. Stella
Olson and Scott Mitchel each received
a score of 96 on their peck of Rural
New Yorkers exhibited at the show
held at Benidji in conjunction with
the Northern Minnesota Development
association meeting. There was only
one higher score on the Rural New
Yorkers and that was on a sample
produced by a girl in Carlton county.

Stopped Children's Croup Cough

"Three weeks ago two of my chil-
dren choking and coughing, and I
as they were having an attack of
croup," writes Billie Mayberry, Eck-
ert, Ga. "I got a bottle of Foley's
Honey and Tar and gave them a dose
before bedtime. Next morning their
cough and all sign of croup was gone."
H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf

Her Advice.

"Ah," he said as he led her back to
her seat after the waltz, "I just love
dancing."
"Well," she replied as she attempted
to repair a torn blouse, "you're not too
old to learn."

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and croup; Foley Kidney Pills and
Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn,
druggist. mwf

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states that the boys and girls in the
Mission Lake club have won the na-
tional club pennant which is award-
ed to twenty of the highest scoring
clubs in the state.

The members of this club are Mel-
vin Young, Jacquith Taylor, Carl
Faupel, Ralph Borden and Ha Sabin.
A club to compete must have at least
five members and awards are to be
based on the average standing of the
members. Every boy or girl must
finish the contest in raising 1-8 of an
acre of potatoes; send in his report,
write a story telling how the potatoes
were raised and exhibit one peck of
the potatoes at the meeting of the
Northern Minnesota Development as-
sociation.

The members of the clubs are also
eligible in the individual contest, and
in this Melvin Young received a cash
prize, but the letter does not state
the amount of it. The first prize is
\$15.00, the second \$10.00, third \$5
and the next best ten, each \$2.00.

In the individual contest the fol-
lowing completed their records and
reports and each will receive a na-
tional club medal:

Melvin Young, Jacquith Taylor,
Carl Faupel, Ralph Borden, Ha Sa-
bin, all of Mission Lake; Earl Olson,
Stella Olson, Ernest Moberg, Clar-
ence J. Bakken, Ella M. Grove, Leon
M. Greeve and Albert Boeder, all of
Pequot; Scott Mitchel, Swanburg;
Eben Britton, Lyle Lewis, Hans An-
derson, all of Brainerd.

The highest yield secured by any
of the contestants in the county was
received by Scott Mitchel who raised
42 bushels on 1-8 of an acre. He
raised the Rural New Yorkers. Stella
Olson and Scott Mitchel each received
a score of 96 on their peck of Rural
New Yorkers exhibited at the show
held at Benidji in conjunction with
the Northern Minnesota Development
association meeting. There was only
one higher score on the Rural New
Yorkers and that was on a sample
produced by a girl in Carlton county.

Stopped Children's Croup Cough

"Three weeks ago two of my chil-
dren choking and coughing, and I
as they were having an attack of
croup," writes Billie Mayberry, Eck-
ert, Ga. "I got a bottle of Foley's
Honey and Tar and gave them a dose
before bedtime. Next morning their
cough and all sign of croup was gone."
H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf

Her Advice.

"Ah," he said as he led her back to
her seat after the waltz, "I just love
dancing."
"Well," she replied as she attempted
to repair a torn blouse, "you're not too
old to learn."

Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c

Don't Miss This. Cut out this slip,
enclose with five cents to Foley &
Co., 2835 Sheffield Ave., Chicago, Ill.,
writing your name and address clearly.
You will receive in return a trial
package containing Foley's Honey
and Tar Compound for coughs, colds,
and croup; Foley Kidney Pills and
Foley Cathartic Tablets. H. P. Dunn,
druggist. mwf

GROWTH IN ROAD BUILDING.

Great Increase of Expenditures Coinci-
dent With Coming of Auto.

It is no mere figure of speech to say
that the growth of road building marks
advances in civilization, and for that
reason there should be general grati-



IMPROVED ROADS COINCIDENT WITH COM-
ING OF THE AUTOMOBILE.

fication over the figures which have
been made known by the bureau of
public roads in Washington, says the
Philadelphia Inquirer. According to
the statistics, the expenditures for
road and bridge building in the United
States have increased from about \$80-
000,000 a year in 1904 to \$282,000,000
in 1915, or more than 250 per cent.
In the same period the expenditures
under state supervision have increased
from a few million a year to some-
thing like \$80,000,000 a year.

These figures are amazingly impres-
sive, and they mark the transition
from an era when we were credited
with the worst roads in the world to
one where we can look forward to a
favorable comparison with the oldest
nations of Europe. The pioneers of
this country had to fight nature and
many hardships, but we long ago
reached the stage where the impor-
tance of good roads became recognized,
and now all who are concerned in the
movement seem to be imbued with
the idea of making up for lost time.

It will be noticed that the great ad-
vance in improved roads has been co-
incident with the coming and the de-
velopment of the automobile. Every
new automobile that is manufactured
means at least one new and enthusi-
astic advocate of better roads. The
local, state and federal authorities
have joined in the movement, and as
a consequence we are able to record
figures which tell a most impressive
story. And, while the automobilists
have been the chief factor in stimulat-
ing this desire for modern and first
class roads, they have not been the
only beneficiaries of the movement.
All of the people have profited, and
most of all the farmers, who have
thus been enabled to find an easy and
convenient method of marketing their
products. The good roads have also
aided in the extension of the rural
free delivery service of the postoffice
department, and this has been of in-
estimable benefit to those far removed
from the large centers of population.

A Common Fallacy About Gas.

A common fallacy is that gas light-
ing so reduces the oxygen content and
so increases the carbon dioxide of air
as to become dangerous to health.
The facts are that gas lighting cannot
reduce the oxygen content to a point
even as low as that found in many
Swiss health resorts and cannot add
enough pure carbon dioxide to ap-
proach the danger point. Further-
more, the New York state commission
on ventilation in recent investigations
has proved that the chemical com-
position of the air is not the important
factor in securing sanitary air con-
ditions.—Thomas Scofield in Engineer-
ing Magazine.

Postage stamps are sold in nearly all
cigar shops of France.

Farming and pig rearing are the sta-
ple industries of Serbia.

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Look over this list and come into our store and hear
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Hopolite Lazaro
Johannes Sembach

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**JAPANESE CRUISER
DESTROYED BY BLAST**

Tokio, Jan. 15.—The Japanese bat-
tle cruiser Tsukuba was destroyed by
an explosion in the harbor of Yoko-
suka.

One hundred and fifty-three mem-
bers of the crew of the Tsukuba were
killed and 157 injured, many of them
seriously.

Numerous members of the ship's
company were rescued from the wa-
ter. Most of the officers of the cruiser
were ashore.

The cause of the explosion is not
known.
The Tsukuba was laid down in 1905
and displaced 13,750 tons.

The Line of Life.

The line of life curves from the side
of the hand between the thumb and
forefinger around the base of the
thumb to the center of the wrist joint.
According to chiromancy the preten-
ded art of judging the character and
foretelling the fortune of a person from
the aspect of the hand, if this line in
the left palm is regular and deeply col-
ored it predicts a long and happy life;
tortuous, colorless, feebly marked and
broken it announces ill health and
short life; narrow, but long and well
colored, it indicates wisdom and in-
genuity; broad and pale it is a sign of
folly; deep and unequally colored it de-
notes malice.

Blotting Paper Like a Swamp.
In describing how blotting paper ab-
sorbs ink Popular Science Monthly
says: Under the microscope blotting
paper when absorbing ink resembles,
on a small scale, a marsh matted with
shrubs, sticks and twigs, round which
water is dowing. So the ink runs
about among the fibers that together
form the spongy paper.

There is a limit to the amount of
liquid that a blotter will absorb, as
there is a limit to the amount of wa-
ter that a marsh will absorb before it
overflows. The limit in the blotter
is the combined capillary attraction of
the fibrous shreds, sticks and twigs
that together form the paper.

A Deep Rooted Business.

"Now, dad, I'm through college and
ready for work."
"Good enough."
"I want to learn this business of
yours from the ground up."
"Tush, boy. I have been in my sub-
basements who have been working up
steadily for five years and haven't
reached the ground floor yet."—Louis-
ville Courier-Journal.

Venus of Milo.

It is said that the base of the famous
Venus of Milo, with the name of the
sculptor upon it, was destroyed for the
purpose of deceiving a king of France
into the belief that the statue was more
ancient than it really is.

There is something in obstinacy
which differs from every other passion.
Whenever it tells it never recovers, but
either breaks like iron or crumbles
away like a decayed arch.

WANTS

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Iron Exchange hotel. 373-189tf
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the telephone business. Apply at
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WANTED—A specialty salesman, ex-
perienced, age 25-45. A salesman
capable of earning \$2500 a year
commission. Address Wayne Oil
Tank & Pump Co., 1400 Michigan
Ave., Chicago, Ill. Give street ad-
dress and Phone number. 338-188tf

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FOR RENT—Furnished room in mod-
ern house. 517 N. 5th street. 365-185tf
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with board if desired. 609 King-
wood. 362-184tf
FOR RENT—Two or four furnished
room for light housekeeping, 206
Kingwood street. 359-183tf
FOR RENT—Two rooms down stairs,
partly furnished, for light house-
keeping. 307 7th St. south. 369-187tf
FOR RENT—Store room at corner of
Front and 7th streets now occu-
pied by Bye & Peterson. Phone
Mrs. Cullen 133-R. 323-175tf
FOR RENT—Store building, 1304
Oak street, formerly occupied by
Frank Milloch and suitable for
meat market. See Bredenberg &
Erickson. 324-175tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow. 430
Forsyth street. 366-185tf
FOR SALE—Household furniture at
bargain if taken at once. 404
South Sixth street. 367-1876p
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ferred stock of the Mahlum Lum-
ber Co., draws 7 per cent interest,
payable quarterly. Inquire of Mrs.
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MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Roomers and boarders
at 1101 Rosewood street. 371-188tf
LOST—A small mottled brown purse
containing a small sum of money.
Return to Flat 6, Imperial block,
for reward. 375-189tf
WANTED—I have customers for res-
idence property and vacant lots.
List your property for sale with
Jas. R. Smith, Sleeper block.

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FOR BACKACHE KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

WOMAN'S REALM

THUEL BURNHAM THE CLUB TREAT

Brainerd Musical Club Program on
Saturday Called Forth Praise
by the Audience

THREE BEETHOVEN SELECTIONS

Brainerd Music Lovers Owe Gratitude
to Musical Club for Appearance
of Mr. Burnham

The quiet, sincere, earnest manner in which Thuel Burnham, pianist, rendered his well-chosen program at the Brainerd Musical club Saturday afternoon appeared directly to his audience.

His opening number "Bourre" by Bach was clear-cut, precise and dignified. A Mozart Pastoral followed it, sweetly and tranquilly played in soft pure tones.

There were three interesting Beethoven selections, the last of which was the march from "The Ruins of Athens." This march suggests the rude but spirited martial music of a half barbaric people, simulating the ever-nearing approach of marching troops, their arrival and then their gradual receding. This work makes great demands on the player's sense of proportion and gradation, as well as his command of the tonal resources of his instrument. Mr. Burnham and his Steinway Concert Grand piano, which travels with him on his concert tours together with a man who tunes the instrument before every concert, responded so well to the demands of this Beethoven composition that the hearers had vivid pictures of the marching troops, approaching, at hand and departing.

The four selections in the Chopin group were familiar and much loved numbers. Mr. Burnham portrayed particularly well the rockaby movement with the left hand and the lullaby song of the mother with the right hand in the "Berceuse" which is considered the finest cradle song ever written for the piano. The Polonaise in this group was unusually well played too, with its stirring introduction, and then its swinging measures suggesting the proud military bearing of feudal heroes and the tramping of the cavalry.

The Rachmaninoff "Prelude in G Minor" was a new number of Brainerd programs as was also the peculiar but charming "Refect me Lean" by the French composer Debussy.

Mr. Burnham had chosen the broad effective MacDowell "Polonaise" for the last number of his program. The opening theme of this composition, majestic and intense but with an undertone of fatalism, and the trio with its lighter vein and half cynical humor were very clearly and satisfactorily interpreted.

Brainerd music lovers surely owe much gratitude to the Musical Club for its success in bringing such artists as Mr. Burnham to our city.

Jewel Card Club

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hebert, 414 Front street, entertained the club on Saturday evening, five tables of progressive 500 being played. The ladies head prize was won by Mrs. Wm. Schlang and the gentleman's head prize by F. W. Sleeper. The lady's consolation went to Mrs. Geo. Frazer. The gentleman's booby went to Wm. Biegling. A bounteous lunch was served the occasion being greatly enjoyed by the guests present.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bedall will entertain the club on January 20th.

Notice Lady Maccabees

There will be no meeting Tuesday evening, Jan. 16, on account of the rally in St. Cloud. There will be a business meeting Wednesday evening, Jan. 17, instead.

Lady Commander,

MRS. DORA HOLMAN.

Methodist Ladies' Aid

The Methodist Ladies' Aid will be held on Thursday afternoon at the church parlors, Mrs. O. Skauge and Mrs. T. E. Nitterauer will entertain. Visitors are welcome and the gentlemen are invited for lunch.

Civics Class

A meeting of the Civics class of the Ladies Musical club will be held at the home of Mrs. W. C. Cobb this, Monday evening.

No Higher Price for This

While food and clothing have advanced in cost, it is well for the sick that the prices of reliable family remedies as Foley Kidney Pills are not increased. Foley Kidney Pills cost little and relieve backache, pains in sides and loins, sore muscles, stiff joints, rheumatic pains and bladder trouble. H. P. Dunn, druggist. mwf

MISS DENNY IN CAST

Well Known Popular Duluth Girl in
January Plays of the Drama
League at Duluth
(Duluth Herald)

There have been several changes in the plays and players for the January program of the Drama League, but the casts are now virtually decided. The attempt was made to use only new material this month, but as several of the recruits approached were either too busy or too modest, the Drama league has fallen back on a few of the tried and true. For the second time this year a French farce has had to be given up on account of the absence in Duluth of the proper kind of light-hearted, not to say light-footed, impulsive French hero. There seems to be an adequate number of French heroines in the city, but this particular type of Frenchmen is lacking. The play substituted for the French farce is "The Beau of Bath" by Constance D'Arcy Mackay. The three plays in the order of their production and their casts follow:

"THE LAST VISIT"

(By Herman Sudermann)

The Unknown Lady
Miss Hazel Voorhees
Lieut. von Wolters.....Frank Tenney Mulbridge, a horse trainer Joe Green Frau Mulbridge.....Miss Kennedy Daisy Mulbridge, her daughter.....Constance Mitchell
The scene is laid in a German garison.

"THE BEAU OF BATH"

(By Constance D'Arcy Mackay)

Beau Nash.....Paul H. Welch Jepson, his servant.....Miron Bunnell The Lady of the Portrait.....Mrs. F. A. Prince

"FANCY FREE"

(By Stanley Houghton)

Fancy.....Miss Marjorie Morrow Alfred.....Gladson Fowler Robert.....Frederick A. Prince Della.....Miss Florence Denny

The probable date for the presentation of these plays will be Jan. 23 and 24. Mr. Lacey is anxious to produce them as early as possible so that he can begin work on the contest plays. There is still one day left in which to write a play and that a holiday. By Monday noon, when all plays must be handed into the Northern National bank, the number will probably be swelled from eight to ten at least, the number presented last year. No plays will be read until the contest is closed.

VALUE OF VISITING NURSE

Greatest Factor in Teaching Personal Hygiene—Direct Contact Most Important Art

While health officials have made considerable advance along the lines of sanitation, it is only recently that they have begun to emphasize the importance of the human body as the source and center of disease.

We know that pathogenic germs are spread from one individual to another by different vehicles of disease, such as polluted water, contaminated milk, or insects. Filthy conditions of homes and manner of living are the greatest predisposing source of all diseases, but in reality it is the human body which is the original and worst source of all infection. Direct contact plays a most important part in all contagious diseases.

One of the greatest factors in remedying this evil is the teaching of personal hygiene, and the visiting nurse is the one best fitted for this task.

Bethany Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid society of the Bethany church, at its last meeting, elected these officers:

President—Mrs. Hjalmer Olson.
Vice President—Mrs. Elmer Dahl.
Secretary—Mrs. Arthur T. Anderson.

Treasurer—Mrs. Andrew Anderson. Mrs. Olson, who has been president for four years and is entering upon her fifth term, was given a beautiful picture as a token of friendship and regard for good services performed.

Fortnightly W. C. T. U. Meeting

The regular fortnightly meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. rooms. A report on the special business of the last meeting will be given and action taken on the same.

Coughed Fifteen Years

Coughs that hang on and grow worse in the night are relieved by Foley's Honey and Tar. R. F. Hall, Mabe, Va., writes: "For 15 years I was afflicted with a troublesome bronchial cough and irritation of the throat. Foley's Honey and Tar relieved me; and after taking one bottle the cough ceased." H. P. Dunn, druggist—Adv. mwf

N. B. C. GRAHAM CRACKERS

You don't have to coax the children to eat plenty of N. B. C. Graham Crackers. These are not only rich in the nourishment that builds bone and muscle, but their tempting taste makes the little appetites hungry for more.

N. B. C. Graham Crackers added an individuality and nut-like flavor that other graham crackers lacked. This makes them an almost universally popular article of everyday diet.

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Duluth Housemaids Unions to Present Demands Today

(By United Press)

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 15.—If housewives here have any maids by dinner time tonight they'll have to recognize the new housemaids' union and change their attitude radically. That's flat. The maids say so. They said it in writing, too, when they presented their demands today.

The 100 charter members of this, the first domestics' union organized east of the Missouri river, today demanded \$20 to \$25 a month for families of two; \$25 to \$30 a month for families of three or more. They demanded a 9 hour working day, one day off a week and time and a half for overtime. They want good food and well lighted and ventilated rooms.

Not only that, but if children hector them and other unpleasantnesses arise in their daily work, they'll expect to be paid for it. They don't want to listen to too much family quarreling, either.

Disagreeable, unkind and inhuman employers will be put on the unfair list. The organization is to be extended to waitresses, chambermaids, cooks and scrubwomen.

SPURNED LOVER KILLS GIRL

St. Paul Man Also Slightly Wounds Her Mother.

St. Paul, Jan. 15.—Charles E. Woods, thirty years old, a rejected suitor, brought his love affair to a tragic end when he shot to death Miss Ella Johnson, twenty-one years old, the girl he wanted for his sweetheart, and seriously wounded her mother.

When Woods went to the Johnson home Miss Johnson refused to talk with him. After pleading with her to give him some consideration he drew a revolver from his pocket and fired two shots into the young woman's body. She died two hours later.

A third bullet struck Mrs. Johnson, the young woman's mother, in the arm as she was approaching the couple to ascertain the cause of the shooting. Mrs. Johnson will recover.

When arrested soon after the shooting Woods said he used blank cartridges. The police believe the slayer insane.

FORCED TO SLAY HUSBAND

Wife Declares He Compelled Her to Shoot Him.

Denver, Jan. 15.—"He handed me his revolver and told me to kill him." This was the statement to the police of Mrs. Stella M. Smith, who shot and killed her husband, formerly a chauffeur in the employ of her stepfather.

"If you don't kill me with the first shot I'll kill you with my hands," were her husband's words, the sobbing woman told the authorities.

The New Sweaters.

Angora wool knitted sweaters, whether coat shape or middie blouse contour, are very ample in the skirt part. They often, too, are held into the figure, at the waist, by apron string straps of the same materials, which are wound about several times. Two colors are used in the same sweater, the border on hem, collar and cuffs contrasting with the sweater color, as a garnet sweater with a three inch yellow border.

The silk sweaters follow the same lines, especially as to flaring skirt portions, and, if middie blouse shapes, have string straps to tie about the neck under the collar.

"My good man, I shall have to put you on a diet."
"Oh, don't, doctor! This bed is fine!"
—Lampoon.

FOUR WOMEN STRIKERS

By M. QUAD

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After due mature deliberation Mrs. Henry Skaggs sent her son, Sammie, with three written notes to three wives in the neighborhood—Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. White and Mrs. Davis. They were asked to call at her house at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to help bring about a social revolution for the benefit of the female sex all over the world.

When the hour arrived the three women also arrived. They were very busy women, but anything that promised to benefit the sex aroused their sense of duty.

"What I have to say is this," began Mrs. Skaggs as she took the floor and cleared her voice. "The men are on a strike east, west, north and south. Some are striking for higher wages, but most of them want eight hours' work a day. Their claim is that no man can work more than eight hours a day and do his best and great numbers of them are completely tired out when the eight hours have expired.

"Have they given a thought to us women amid all this turmoil and confusion? Not a thought—not even one. We arise at 6 o'clock in the morning and are through with our housework about 9 in the evening. That makes fifteen hours' work for us, and most of the time we are on our feet. Poor man! He can't work more than eight hours a day without being tuckered out, and he thinks we can work fifteen without having the least cause for complaint. So it has always been and always will be unless we go at it and raise a revolution."

"Let us raise one!" was shouted in chorus.

"That's what I wanted to see you about, and I'm so glad you agree with me. We shall raise a revolution. We will raise it right here and now! From this village it will spread all over the known world, and if our sex in Eskimo land as well as at home do not bless us they deserve to be slaves forever."

So thought Mrs. Perkins, Mrs. Davis and Mrs. White, and the four women then and there entered into a conspiracy and perfected the details. Each one pledged herself to die rather than surrender, and each went home with a grim look on her face.

What befell Mrs. Skaggs befell the others. When her husband came home that evening she met him with a query:

"Henry, you are on a strike for eight hours a day?"

"Yes, dear," was the reply.

"Well, I want to say to you that, beginning Wednesday morning, I shall go on a strike myself. If you feel that you can't work more than eight hours a day I feel that I can't either. I work almost double that now and have worked so ever since we were married, and it's no wonder I look like an old woman at my age of thirty-eight. Have you any reasons to advance why I should not strike?"

"Not a single reason," he replied when she expected him to advance a

"FAIR AND WARMER"

Farce at Opera House Saturday Evening Drew a Large Audience, Well Pleased

"Fair and Warmer" drew one of the best houses of the season at the Brainerd opera house Saturday evening. It was simply a gale of laughter from start to finish and poor Billie, the model husband, was a most lovable character and so was his next door neighbor in the flat.

The two in the cocktail scene was something to be seen and can hardly be adequately described. All ends well and wife gives up the idea of her divorce and simply idolizes Billie whose last indiscretion was calling the maid "Morningglory."

The point of the story was that no woman admires a model man, one so model that she almost falls over backward in trying to look up to him. Blessed with a few faults, a husband always creates a topic for conversation in the home and carries with him fuel for wild excitement.

KILLS MAN AND HERSELF

Young Woman Is Presumed to Have Been Jealous.

Burlington, Kan., Jan. 15.—Clarence M. Wood, county surveyor of Coffey county and a former student at Kansas university and Baker university, was shot and killed, and across his body lay that of Miss Josephine Holmes, a maid at his house, who also died from the same weapon.

At the coroner's inquest Miss Alice Fisher, chum of the dead girl, testified that when the marriage of Wood to an Atchison, Kan., girl, was announced Miss Holmes told her friends:

"Clarence Wood never will live to be married to her."

Wood was twenty-eight years old and was the son of a former Baker university professor.

Miss Holmes was the daughter of a retired farmer of Hartford, Kan., and was eighteen years old.

Beauty Hints.

Those who fear that the use of cold cream or skin food will induce a growth of surplus hair can substitute warm milk. This should be applied in exactly the same manner as the creams.

If you value complexion never use hard water with which to wash. Hard water contains mineral salts such as lime, which when combined with the fatty acids of the soap form what is known as stearate of lime. This clogs up the pores and makes them large and open and coarsens the skin. Should rainwater not be available soften the hard water with borax or oatmeal.

If you are bent on trying to have a beautiful mouth do not fall into the error of assuming a continuous grin. Muscles that are always kept on the stretch finally lose their original contour, and wrinkles result.

After His Share.

Motorist recovering from smashup—Isn't that a pretty stiff bill, doctor? Surgeon—You don't suppose I'm going to let the other repair men do all the getting rich in this business, do you?—Boston Transcript.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.—Adv. 1m

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dozen or more. "Your work is hard and long, and if you can manage to make it easier I shall do all I can to encourage you."

Mrs. Skaggs was much surprised and put out by the attitude of her husband, but she was grimly determined to carry out the conspiracy. When Wednesday morning came she said to her husband across the breakfast table:

"Henry, this is the day."

"Yes, this is the day," he quietly replied.

"But you will be home to lunch, as usual. But after that is cleared away the strike begins."

Soon after 2 o'clock and just as Mrs. Skaggs was getting interested in a book Mrs. Jinks, a colored woman of very ample proportions, entered the house. She was chasing the three Skaggs children before her, and as she took off her hat and made herself at home she said to their mother:

"Dose chill'en need to have dar ears cuffed, an' I'll make a great improvement in less dan a week. Dis floah needs sweepin', an' I'll tackle dat fust."

"And who on earth are you?" demanded the surprised Mrs. Skaggs as she closed her book and stood up.

"Why, I's Mrs. Jinks, of co'se," was the reply.

"But I didn't send for you."

"Of co'se not, but your husband cum fur me an' said I was to be de second relief. I cums on at 2 o'clock an' leaves at 10. Dat makes my eight hours, an' durin' my time here don't you have too much to say about things. I knows

all about runnin' a house an' don't need no bossin'."

"Now, then, Mrs. Jinks, or whatever your name is, you take yourself right out of here or I'll have a constable take you. You are not wanted here, and it's singular that my husband sent you."

"But you is all tired out wid your work an' an strikin' fur eight hours," was the reply.

"And I'll be striking you if you don't move on. When it is time to get supper for my husband I shall do so."

When Mr. Skaggs came home he found a better supper than usual prepared for him, and his wife had slicked up a little in matters of dress. All he said as he took his accustomed seat was:

"I see, dear, that you have won your strike, and I am glad of it."

Mrs. Skaggs looked at him indignantly and reproachfully and made no reply. She had gone back to fifteen hours a day.

Courage of the Eagle.

As to an eagle's courage and aggressiveness, it is well known that in central Asia the golden eagle will even attack the wolf, and it is tamed and flown at that savage beast as the goshawk is flown at hares.

It is said that a custom peculiar to Buddhists is that of wandering about the country with hammer and chisel and carving holy symbols upon rocks by the wayside.

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THE OILING OF EARTH ROADS

Unless Proper Methods Are Used Result Is Unsatisfactory.

PURPOSE TO SUPPRESS DUST

Nearly 89 Per Cent of Roads Throughout the United States Are Earth Roads, and How to Grade, Drain and Maintain These Highways Is an Important Problem.

There are 2,333,000 miles of public roads in the United States, of which only 232,400 miles have any kind of surfacing. In other words, nearly 89 per cent of our roads are earth roads, and it will be a quarter of a century, probably, before this percentage is reduced to 75. The great road problem of the United States is to grade, drain and maintain these roads so as to make them of the best practical use at a minimum annual expense. Some progress along these lines is evident, and in some sections very satisfactory earth roads have been built and are maintained in good condition, except for a few weeks in spring, by intelligent grading. Another method of maintenance, originating in California, is now being tried with more or less success in a number of the central states. This is oiling the roads. Its purpose is to suppress dust, for in so doing the road surface will remain smooth longer than when the road is dusty, and there is less mud formed in wet weather. But oiling roads has to be done intelligently or it will make conditions worse instead of better.

It is useless to oil an earth road which is not thoroughly drained and properly graded. It is a waste of money to oil a road which does not have a smooth, hard surface free from dust. If the surface is uneven, oil collects in shallow depressions and softens the surface so that after the first heavy rain the travel tends to make mudholes at these places. If there is dust on the road the oil combines with the dust to form a sort of mat, which the travel over it quickly breaks up into large flakes or scales. If the road is in proper condition to receive the oil and the right kind of oil is used the oil penetrates into the pores of the earth for a depth of several inches, sealing them with an asphaltic binding material which unites the surface into a tougher mass than the original surface.

The oil cannot make the road any harder, for only stone or gravel will accomplish that, but it will prevent the displacement of the earth particles under any loads which an earth road is adapted to carry. If the oiled surface is immediately covered with a thin layer of clean, hard sand, the travel will not disturb the oil, and the travelers will suffer less inconvenience. The right kind of oil should be used, for there are some kinds which act as lubricants and ruin a road instead of improving it. This kind of maintenance of earth roads is proving so successful in the central states that the Illinois state highway commission has recently issued for free distribution an illustrated bulletin telling how to do it and what things to avoid doing.

Coleridge—The Last Phase.

Professor Blackie in his autobiographical sketch entitled "Notes of a Life" tells of a visit he paid to Coleridge, then living at Highgate, of whom he remembers only two things:—(1) that he was an old, infirm, downy man; (2) that he told me he had thrown overboard all speculative philosophy, finding perfect satisfaction in the first chapter of the gospel of John.

Three Hundred Cars Burn.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 30.—Barns of the Toronto street railway were destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$1,000,000. Three hundred cars were destroyed.

PRACTICAL DEMOCRACY

(A Series of Articles on the Short Ballot Movement)

BY H. S. GILBERTSON

III—Ballots and Human Nature.

We were to explain in this article why the long ballot never fails to produce a boss or political machine.

In Winthrop, Mass., some four years ago the people were voting in their primary election. The Progressive Democratic party put up a partial ticket but omitted to name any one for representative in the general court (legislature). One unknown voter, to complete his ballot wrote in the name of "James O'Connell." Inasmuch as no other nominations were made this vote constituted the highest number of votes on the ticket for the particular office. The secretary of state accordingly had this name printed on the official ballot for the district. "James O'Connell" received 735 votes at the regular election and thirty-seven votes more in Winthrop than the regular democratic nominee.

When the returns were in it was discovered in the town clerk's office that no such person as "James O'Connell" existed, and yet 735 men had voted for him and he had received 37 more votes than one real man! An elected state official of New York committed suicide a few years ago. When the papers printed his political history, which was anything but a brilliant one, the people of the state were astonished to know who their state treasurer had been—and yet over a million men had gone over his name on the ballot when he was elected.

The people elected this state official?

Well, now did they? Or did they just blindly and automatically place their cross marks opposite the names of a lot of men of whom they knew absolutely nothing. And how did those names get on the ballot? If the voters did not pick them out

they could have gotten there in only one other way. Somebody must have picked them out "by hand," appointed them.

That is principally what political machines are for; to tell the voters whom to elect, and the "boss" is simply the head machinist.

Contrast these conditions with those in England. There the city voters elect a member of Parliament once in five years, a member of the borough council and two auditors once a year. Through these he controls his government both national and local. Nobody in England ever dreams of asking to elect any more.



Nobody has the slightest desire to try to pick sheriffs or dog-catchers or bailiffs. And nobody in England ever saw a political machine or a boss such as we know in this country.

The Short Ballot idea is to approximate conditions in England, that is, to elect a few conspicuous officials at any one time, but give them power and responsibility and keep them where the voters can see them all the time. This would give us government based upon humanity just as it is, and not upon humanity as some enthusiasts for the "people's rule" think it ought to be.

occupied a place in the financial world ought to be allowed to prophesy. So listen to Leslie M. Shaw.

"In my opinion," says he, "the president already is a candidate for a third term, and I predict that inside the next four years he will be the most pronounced protectionist in the nation."

Then he goes further and says that the Republican party has a good foundation, but it needs to organize at once and build itself up so as to meet the opposition in the coming campaign.

Voting For President.

Woman suffragists are going to make an effort to get bills passed in various state legislatures permitting women to vote for president, as they do in Illinois. They expect to get quite a lot of states in that way and gradually force universal suffrage for women.

Commissions Keep Going.

The house was discussing the subject of commissions, and Congressman Bennett of New York, who was fighting one provision for a commission extension, remarked: "Oh, it is an awfully hard thing to stop a commission. I was on one once myself, and it took two acts of congress to put us out."

Defending the Farmer.

Congressman Helgeson of North Dakota came to the defense of the farmer in the debate in the house recently. It was not the farmer, he said, who was causing the high cost of living. He said the baker bought flour at \$8.50 per barrel and made it up into bread which he sold for \$28. Helgeson said the profit was not with the farmer nor the middleman, but the man who was making and selling the bread.

Wasted Humor.

Why does the house waste the little humor it has available? Just the other day Congressman Zeke Candler of Mississippi was let loose at 5:30 in the evening with less than a dozen men on the floor and no one in the gallery. Zeke talked about the magnificent cuisine and said other humorous things. He won applause from the few, but his effort was lost—buried in the Congressional Record!

Russian Peasants' Land.

Land belongs not to individual peasants in Russia, but to the village as a whole. It can be redivided every twelve years at the wish of a majority of two-thirds.

This and all other local questions, such as the incidence of taxation, are settled by village meetings, consisting of the heads of houses, where age naturally has a predominance.

A decision which carries a majority of two-thirds is by law of the empire a legal "sentence" of the village. The village elects its own village elder, who is responsible for the calling of meetings, and at certain seasons (that of haymaking) these meetings take place as often as once a week.

Not Playing the Game.

Mrs. Fitz Suburban—The next door person must be a very suspicious character. Hubby—Why so? Mrs. F. S.—She employs a maid who is deaf and dumb, the mean cut!—New York Journal.

CHARLES E. HUGHES.

Elected President of the New York Bar Association.



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HUGHES HEADS LAWYERS

Former Supreme Court Justice Honored by Gotham Association.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 15.—Charles Evans Hughes was elected president of the New York Bar association at the annual meeting. An American court of arbitration for settlement of controversies among nations on the American continent was suggested.

RIDICULES GERMAN VIEWS

London Paper Comments on Attitude Toward Belgium.

London, Jan. 13.—Referring to Germany's defense in her action in Belgium, the Westminster Gazette says: "There is no power in the world but Germany which could set up such a defense for such conduct and that she can do it is proof that her ideas on the subject of treaties and international morality are wholly at variance with those of the rest of the world. The whole of what she gained on the western front is due to this initial foul stroke, which was planned and executed with the knowledge that France had trusted her guarantee and had made her defensive preparations accordingly."

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 13.—Wheat—On track and to arrive, No. 1 hard, \$1.90 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.89 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.84 1/2; No. 3 Northern, \$1.83 1/2; No. 4 Northern, \$1.82 1/2; No. 5 Northern, \$1.81 1/2; No. 6 Northern, \$1.80 1/2; No. 7 Northern, \$1.79 1/2; No. 8 Northern, \$1.78 1/2; No. 9 Northern, \$1.77 1/2; No. 10 Northern, \$1.76 1/2; No. 11 Northern, \$1.75 1/2; No. 12 Northern, \$1.74 1/2; No. 13 Northern, \$1.73 1/2; No. 14 Northern, \$1.72 1/2; No. 15 Northern, \$1.71 1/2; No. 16 Northern, \$1.70 1/2; No. 17 Northern, \$1.69 1/2; No. 18 Northern, \$1.68 1/2; No. 19 Northern, \$1.67 1/2; No. 20 Northern, \$1.66 1/2; No. 21 Northern, \$1.65 1/2; No. 22 Northern, \$1.64 1/2; No. 23 Northern, \$1.63 1/2; No. 24 Northern, \$1.62 1/2; No. 25 Northern, \$1.61 1/2; No. 26 Northern, \$1.60 1/2; No. 27 Northern, \$1.59 1/2; No. 28 Northern, \$1.58 1/2; No. 29 Northern, \$1.57 1/2; No. 30 Northern, \$1.56 1/2; No. 31 Northern, \$1.55 1/2; No. 32 Northern, \$1.54 1/2; No. 33 Northern, \$1.53 1/2; 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AIM TO PREVENT FLOODING LANDS

Convention of Delegates From Four Counties Seeking to Find Remedy for Conditions

ON THE UPPER MISSISSIPPI

Committee on Resolutions and Committee on Permanent Organization are Appointed

Seeking to find a remedy for the continual overflowage by the Mississippi river of valuable lands in the upper river country, delegates from four counties are in session at the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon.

R. A. Stone, of Grand Rapids, county attorney of Itasca county, was named chairman of the meeting and P. M. Larson, of Cass Lake, the secretary.

The committee on resolutions includes P. M. Larson, of Cass Lake, chairman; F. E. Reuswig, Grand Rapids; T. G. Johnson, Brainerd; Elmer Madison, Grand Rapids; F. L. Kinney, Aitkin.

The committee on permanent organization includes E. H. Krelwitz, Aitkin, chairman; F. B. McGarry, Bain; C. C. Peterson, Grand Rapids; County Commissioner F. S. Walker, Platte Lake, Brainerd; County Commissioner Wm. Syreen, Klondike.

The delegates were late in assembling this morning on account of the exceptionally cold weather. The convention was fairly under way in the afternoon and among the delegates are the following:

Aitkin County—F. L. Kinney, Aitkin; F. B. McGarry, Bain; G. M. Robinson, Aitkin; E. H. Krelwitz, Aitkin; F. E. Kreh, Aitkin; Henry Hascamp, Aitkin.

Crow Wing County—J. M. Elder, Thos. G. Johnson, Brainerd; F. S. Walker, Platte Lake; Wm. Syreen, Crosby.

Itasca County—C. C. Peterson, Grand Rapids; F. E. Reuswig, Grand Rapids; Elmer Madison, Grand Rapids; R. A. Stone, Grand Rapids, county attorney.

Cass County—John Bailey, Backus; P. M. Larson, Cass Lake.

PRaise for Songs

Compositions of Rowland G. Jenkins on Northern Pacific Topics

Meet With Favor

The songs and yells composed by Rowland G. Jenkins, referring to the Northern Pacific railway, the song of the N. P. system, that for Brainerd's marching club and the yells, are meeting with favor.

D. K. Fullerton, general car foreman of the Northern Pacific shops, sent Mr. Jenkins' work as published in the Brainerd Dispatch, to C. C. Kyle, of St. Paul, who is in charge of the general office building of the railway.

Mr. Kyle referred them to I. L. Pell, advertising manager of the railway. Mr. Pell, writing to Mr. Fullerton, said:

"I am very glad indeed to have these and we shall certainly see what we can do towards making good use of them. We appreciate very much the interest which has been taken by the Brainerd people in the carnival, and we hope to see you all here during carnival week."

In his letter to Mr. Pell, chairman of the general carnival committee, Mr. Kyle said:

"Herewith letter from an old friend of mine, Mr. D. K. Fullerton of Brainerd, submitting several songs composed by R. G. Jenkins of Brainerd shops.

"In case the committee decides to use any of these we should, of course, give Mr. Jenkins the credit. Some of the compositions seems to be quite good."

NOTICE

To the creditors of the Security National Loan company:

You, and each of you as if named, will please take notice that on or about June 22nd, 1916, pursuant to and under Sec. 8884 R. L. 1913, for and in behalf of the employees, two in number, I seized, am now and will remain in control of the funds of the above named loan company pending settlement of the claims of said employees.

R. R. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

Dated at Brainerd, Minn., this the 13th day of January, 1917.

Bank Official Recommends Them

T. J. Norrell, vice president of the Bank of Cottonwood, Tex., writes: "I have received relief and recommend Foley Kidney Pills to any one who has kidney trouble." Kidney trouble manifests itself in many ways—in worry, by aches, pains, soreness, stiffness, and rheumatism. H. P. Dunn, druggist—Advt.

PNEUMONIA CLAIMS MRS. ADELE ROOT

Ft. Ripley Woman One of the Early Residents of the County Dies After Short Illness

RECENTLY RETURNED FROM WE

Widow of Jerry Root Who Was Killed While on Police Force at Bemidji While on Duty

Mrs. Adele Root of Ft. Ripley, died at her home early Saturday morning from pneumonia after a short illness. Mrs. Root had been visiting in Montana at the home of relatives, returning to Ft. Ripley Sunday last. On the trip she contracted a severe cold which later developed into pneumonia, death resulting in a few days, says the Little Falls Transcript.

Adele Chounard was born in Little Falls 58 years ago and spent her girlhood days in this city. At the age of 20 she was married to Jerry Root. After a residence here of several years, they moved to Ft. Ripley where they operated a hotel. Mr. Root later went to Bemidji, during that town's early days. He was a member of the police force there and met his death while in the performance of his police duties. Mrs. Root continued operating the hotel and was in charge of the hostelry at the time of her death. She leaves three children, Mrs. H. Saunders and Arthur Root, Ft. Ripley, and Mrs. Laura Raessler, now living in Montana. One sister, Mrs. Wm. Reid, who lives in Montana, and four brothers, Philistine, Edward and John of Little Falls and Frank of Floodwood are left, besides her mother, Mrs. Adeline Chounard, now 81 years of age, who resides in this city.

The funeral was held at Ft. Ripley Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, a priest from the St. Mathias parish officiating.

Mrs. Wm. Reid of Montana and Mrs. Addie Chounard and Mrs. Mary Boisljolie of this city were called to the bedside of the dying woman on Friday.

JAils Will Be Crowded

Sixty Days in Jail and \$100 Fine Meted Out to Many by Judge

Page Morris of Duluth

The jails of Northern Minnesota will be pretty well filled with violators of the federal liquor laws following the present session of the United States district court at Duluth. The federal grand jury returned 25 true bills in one lot, and fourteen prisoners admitted their guilt and received sentence.

Judge Morris gave most of the prisoners a sentence of sixty days in jail and \$100 fine. Among those sent from Brainerd who received this sentence were Nick Muzzoura, Walter McIntosh and Sam Krieger.

In pronouncing sentence upon the prisoners, Judge Morris gave them the most solemn warning to keep out of trouble in the future. Violators of the federal liquor laws will be sent to Fort Leavenworth whenever the offense warrants so severe a sentence, said Judge Morris. In cases of second offenses also, Judge Morris said he would send the prisoner to Fort Leavenworth.

THE MOOSE PROGRAM

Six Numbers in the Program for January 18, to be Followed by a Banquet and Dance

Dr. E. F. Jamieson has given out the program which will be presented on the anniversary night of the Loyal Order of Moose lodge in the Iron Exchange hall, Thursday evening, January 18.

1. Song—Imperial Trio S. F. Alderman, Al Mraz and Rowland G. Jenkins
 2. Cello solo—Wm. Rodenkirchen
 3. Song—Miss Anna Michaelson
 4. Piano solo—Morris D. Folsom
 5. Song—Al Mraz
 6. Violin solo—Edwin Harris Bergh
- A banquet and dance follow the program.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

- Jan. 2 (No Transfers)
- Jan. 3 (No Transfers)
- Jan. 4 (No Transfers)
- Jan. 5 (No Transfers)

Harriet B. Evenst, single, to Julius Reuter lots 11 and 12 blk. 20 Schwartz's Addn. to City Brainerd wd \$1 etc.

NOTICE TO STUDENTS

Students not able to attend school in need of extra coaching for the state examination in March, enclose stamp and write to

CELIA K WOLD, Pequot, Minn.

ASKS HELP TO LIGHTEN BURDEN

Northern Pacific Railway Co. Asks the Co-operation of Shippers in Car Shortage

UNDERLOADING DISCOURAGED

Company Owns 48,000 Freight Cars, Take One Year and \$7,000,000 to Build 4,800 Cars

In a letter to shippers and others interested, George T. Slade, vice-president and J. G. Woodworth, second vice-president of the Northern Pacific railway company, call attention to the necessity of loading freight cars to capacity or maximum weight to thus materially assist in reducing a car shortage. The letter reads:

"Our published rates and rules allow much latitude in the use of freight cars, and we have always accommodated shippers in the handling of their business while expecting them to help us in getting the best possible use of our facilities and avoiding unnecessary increase in operating costs.

Commercial prosperity without adequate transportation is impossible, and at the present time the railroad transportation facilities of the United States are wholly inadequate; therefore any shipper who underloads or delays a freight car or fails to make any possible readjustment of his business which will lighten the burden now placed upon the railroads is not only dealing unfairly with the carriers, but is also embarrassing the business of the nation, including his own.

This company owns 48,000 freight cars, and it would require at least one year's time and seven million dollars to build 4,800 more cars, but with the co-operation of shippers we could in one month, and without any expenditure of money, show an increase of ten per cent in the average loading of cars now employed and in connection with the movement of certain commodities it would be possible to increase the loading as much as 25 or even 50 per cent.

It is the duty of all employees to watch the loading, unloading and movement of freight cars, and whenever they see any avoidable underloading or delay they should correct it or report it to the nearest superintendent, sending copy of report to the general freight office at Tacoma or St. Paul.

In times of car shortage the failure of a shipper to load cars to capacity or to the maximum weight consistent with safe carriage will be considered as sufficient reason for withholding cars from that shipper in the discretion of the superintendent of the division on which cars are loaded.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending Jan. 12, 1917. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

- Berge, Mrs. Sherman L.
- Bradway, Mrs. Carrie.
- Clark, Miss Helen.
- Erickson, Mr. Alfred.
- Fallon, W. B.
- Gaffy, Miss Lottie.
- Gumphrey, Mrs. Ed.
- Hammond, Mr. J. H.
- Harms, Miss Emma.
- Hill, Mrs.
- Johnson, Mr. Emil.
- Johnson, Mrs. G. H.
- Nap, Mr. C.
- Newburgh, Miss Nina.
- Peterson, Miss Freda.
- Peterson, Master Herman.
- Silver, L. B.
- Stele, Rev. John T.
- Stranage, C. C.
- Swanson, Mrs. Ola.
- Thrower, Mrs. R. B.
- Veal, Mrs. Millie A.

H. P. DUNN, P. M.

THE WATCHMAN COLUMN

Spats

- * Spats are short, violent affairs indulged in by some human beings and most lovers.
- * They don't amount to much in either case, but they're awful while they last.
- * Spats usually reach from the ankles to the instep and from the front door to the gate.
- * They are worn just under the calf and over the protest of every right thinking person.
- * Some folks naturally have big feet. Others wear pink spats. (Thanks, Kin).
- * Baldness can't be helped and stuttering may be condemned, but spats are a man's own fault. (Thanks, George).

PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES DUE IN 1917

The Dispatch will publish from time to time the list of personal property taxpayers of Crow Wing county and of the city of Brainerd. The compilation of the list takes some time, as it affords every taxpayer the opportunity to see what his friend or his next door neighbor is paying.

These taxes are due and payable January 1. On and after March 1 a penalty of 10 percent attaches to delinquent payments. Many in Brainerd take pride in being among the first to pay their taxes.

IDEAL

Allen, C. H.	2.47
Bowman, N. R.	13.70
Boe, Chris	4.54
Boe, Ole	3.67
Cary, H. E.	.50
Cline, Geo.	4.42
Cline, Enos	5.95
Cline, Alfred	6.44
Danielson, J. A.	3.13
Danielson, A. J.	10.44
Gudgell, W. W.	2.64
Hardy, D. L.	.27
Heath, Chandler	3.05
Hanson, Herman	3.93
Hollenburg, Adolph	1.07
Hollenburg, Axle	1.78
Hazelhurst, K. C.	3.85
Heath, B. C.	1.18
Heath, Clarence	2.84
Johnson, Ole	3.10
Johnson, L. O.	7.79
Kamberling, Chas.	5.45
King, Wm.	4.00
Kamberling, Frank	3.02
Knudson, N. J.	4.25
Kalbach, Geo.	.94
Kiser, B. F.	3.14
Martin, J. H.	1.36
McEwen, J. A.	3.52
McDowell, W. A.	.23
Nelder, Kate	2.39
Oleson, Chris	3.10
Palmer, Edie	.86
Parker, Wm.	2.90
Pederson, Anton	2.89
Shay, Ette	.09
Thomas, Oliver	1.72
Volk, Ralph	1.34
Wilson, Chas.	1.62
Wold, H. A.	4.08

ROOSEVELT.

Brand, Sam	14.34
Brand, Ernest	1.66
Brand, Fred	.75
Balan, C. H.	8.25
Cooly, Arthur F.	2.25
Dewing, John	9.45
Dewing, Chester	1.37
Frisk	4.15
Hall, E. S.	6.44
Hall, R. L.	2.96
Hall, Clarence	8.38
Zimm, A. J.	14.61
Marohn, Carl	7.63
Mafohn, Herman	4.74
Schellin, Clara	2.13
Schellin, L. F.	3.00
Spencer, Swan	5.75
Templin, Edman	11.81
Wakeman, George	8.15
Selbert, John	.32
Frederick, Dr. J. L.	.51

DEAN LAKE

Anderson, C. J.	16.61
Benson, W. S.	4.85
Backhaus, August	18.31
Beneke, August	7.27
Dehling, John	9.79
Hofar, Mike	7.29
Johnson, J. August	5.27
Kruse Ore Co., H. J.	106.50
Kimberly, Mrs. J. L.	21.83
Kimberly, J. L.	3.20
Keim, Mrs. Emma	.98
Keim, Frank	6.13
Kasperek, Elizabeth	19.19
Leikauf, Conrad	3.87
Lord, Frank	.86
Mackey Ore Co.	53.25
Moritz, Geo.	11.31
Oppegarde, Anton	3.03
Robinson, H. C.	5.91
Stike, Frank	14.38
Terkin, Herman	13.94
Terry, James	7.40
Turner, H. A.	10.25
Tholen, William	12.93
Trantz, John	18.80
Welton, Frances	12.78
Wells, Homer M.	10.65
Wenzel, Gust	38.39
Wenzel, E. H.	3.89
Welton, James L.	7.45
Wasson, John	9.29
Wenzel, August	18.27

PLATTE LAKE

Agnus, Frank	3.80
Briggs, D.	2.66
Erickson, Henry	3.69
Fleischer, Herman	10.45
Gorton, M. D.	24.14
Grand, H.	7.19
Heagey, J. W.	1.97
Johnson, Emil	4.62
Joaton, J. H.	5.38
Jenquist, John	2.96
McConnell, W. S.	20.39
Miner, J. H.	22.60
Magnuson, L. M.	9.06
Norman, John	4.09
Stanley, G. M.	2.12
Walker, F. S.	6.56
Wunderlich, J. H.	.30

FAIRFIELD.

Ackmann, H. R.	3.66
Adeock, George	13.69
Bates, Henry	4.56

Pictorial Review Patterns

Now On Sale at our Pattern Counter

Store Opens at 8:30 a. m.--Closes 5:30 p. m. Saturdays and Pay Days Closes at 9:00 p. m.

H. F. MICHAEL CO.

Bennett, James	5.48
Blood, W. M.	4.64
Driver, John	2.69
Driver, James	.81
Dayton, Fred	6.70
Driver, Ed L.	.61
Dayton, H. W.	5.97
Harting, R. E.	6.35
Lingwall, Mrs. F. L.	1.06
Lingwall, F. L.	4.66
LaBoard, Wm.	9.78
Moritz, Mitchell	1.00
Miller, Elizabeth	3.71
Robinson, James	.66
Wiener, W. F.	9.01

WATERTOWN

Allen, J. H.	1.58
Bailey, M.	1.92
Boozel, Wm.	.27
Buchite, Wm.	3.98
Cochran, H. A.	7.55
Daiton, W. T.	3.28
Erickson, Clarence	2.85
Erickson, David	3.93
Grove, John J.	.77
Gould, Harry	4.86
Hartman, H.	1.84
Heath, Chas. L.	8.43
McClain, Otis	11.22
Newman, Angle	6.76
Ostlund, August	9.94
Pittikow, Emil	3.77
Sanford, L. T.	1.27
Stowe, Jas. W.	15.81
Seckel, Fred	4.59

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BRAINERD

LaBar, Geo. H.	32.49
Lagerquist, B. L.	2.00
Lagerquist, Art. C.	6.15
Lagerquist, A. G.	2.33
Lagerquist, K. W.	63.03
Lakeide Lumber Co.	262.26
Lammon, G. E.	68.66
Langer, Nick	7.53
Larson, August	1.33
Larson, Ole	8.30
Larson, John	60.30
Larson, P. M.	2.37
Larson, N. R.	.52
Larson & Alexander	45.57
Larabee, W. T.	43.43
Larkin, P. H.	23.65
Latta, W. W.	2.88
Lawrence Lillian E.	1.85
Leak, John	19.56
LeBlanc, Z. J.	1.91
Lee, Lewis	3.20
Lee, T. J.	1.63
Lee, Elmer	2.62
LeMoine, Maurice	67.68
Levant, E.	2.06
Lind, S. R.	1.33
Lind, J. A.	1.68
Liners, A.	2.71
Linnemann, H. W.	330.85
Lind, Daniel	1.51
Liners, Omer	1.25
Lind, Gust T.	3.10
Lind, B. T.	2.28
Lind, August	1.76
Lively, W. E.	69.11
Lohn, Erick A.	1.46
Longyear, E. J. Co.	11.48
Long, R. L.	4.26
Long, Chas.	1.51
Long, E. E.	9.63
Long, T. M.	9.12
Loom, A. J.	2.92
Losey, Mrs. A. E.	5.89
Lowe, Irene C.	6.45
Lowe, Frank J.	1.89
Lowie, Rev. W. J.	2.75
Lowe, G. E.	1.72
Ludwig, Miss Lillian	2.15
Link, Anton	.77
Lukens, Fred	99.98
Lukens, A. K.	18.70
Lukens, G. M.	.73
Lund, Frank	1.46
Lindholm, Carrie	1.03
Lund, J.	3.23
Lund, Walter	10.66
Lundberg, Otto	2.62
Lundgren, C. H.	.82
Lutz, Walter	2.88
Lyddon, A. J.	1.68
Lystad, Ole	1.20
Lyons, W. J.	2.58



Filling a Bin with Coal

For Winter use, with a superior quality that will give full satisfaction, is what we do always when your coal is ordered from our high grade hard coal. Good clean coal, fair prices and prompt delivery is always appreciated by the public, and they get it every time from our yards.

JOHN LARSON

For Eye Glasses See Dr. E. E. LONG Prices Right Office Ransford Bldg.

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Musterole Loosens Up Those Stiff Joints—Drives Out Pain

You'll know why thousands use Musterole once you experience the glad relief it gives.

Get a jar at once from the nearest drug store. It is a clean, white ointment, made with the oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Brings ease and comfort while it is being rubbed on!

Musterole is recommended by many doctors and nurses. Millions of jars are used annually for bronchitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of the back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).



bureter, and burn gas instead of air. We do not get full measure from the gasoline seller, and we make long detours because distance is so little an element in motoring.

There will come a time, if it is not already here, when every man who earns twelve hundred dollars a year in small places, and eighteen hundred a year in the larger towns, can afford and should have a car. It brings more lasting and beneficial pleasures than any other medium yet devised, as a pastime. It takes you out of doors. It gives you a chance to picnic with the family, see the country, save time, entertain as no other device ever can and has its proper place in the scheme of life. But a little study of cars and their care and operation, thought for the little savings that are possible, will make what would seem to be a burdensome tax a real and lasting benefit.

Bert Williams in one of his characteristic scenes in the Winter Garden drives up to a wayside gas station in a battered motor cycle, and asks for "ten drops of gas," and carefully inquires of the dealer how far it will take him.

"Eighty miles down hill," is the prompt reply. And that is the whole secret of gas using—to go down hill without it, for sometimes you can't get up the hill with it.

Have a car if you can afford it, and not because your neighbor has one; get all the pleasure out of it possible, but remember the little economies in oil, tires, gas, electricity and the like, and find that thrift has its place here as well as in a big factory.

We do not coast the hills, we let the motor run when the car is standing, we use the clutch too much, we have poor adjustments on the car-

SPORT NEWS

RED RIVER VALLEY DERBY

Ten or Twelve Dog Teams, Best of the Northwest, Entered in Big Carnival Event

AT ST. PAUL OUTDOOR SPORTS

Course Leads From Winnipeg, Red River of the North, Grand Forks to Como Park

Ten or twelve dog teams, the pick of the packs that traverse the snowy trails of Manitoba and the northwest territories, will pit their speed and endurance, each against all the others, in the 500 mile dash from Winnipeg to the St. Paul Outdoor Sports Carnival, late in January.

This event, which promises to become an annual classic as a leading feature of St. Paul's annual carnival, will be known as the Red River Valley Derby. The course from Winnipeg will follow the Red River of the North into North Dakota and Minnesota, touching at Grand Forks, St. Cloud and other points.

The finish line is in the Carnival City's famous Como park, where the winning team and driver will be welcomed by thousands, including King Boreas and his retinue of Carnival Queens.

From Winnipeg to Fargo the Derby course follows the old mail route over which many years ago the late James J. Hill made one of his first visits to Winnipeg, traveling by sledge behind a team of shaggy huskies.

The big purses hung up by the Carnival Association, as well as the lure of the sport and the spirited rivalry among the northern camps, have tempted some of the most famous dog drivers away from their traps and nets to participate in the Carnival Derby. Lake Winnipeg, LaPas and the Icelandic river district are sending drivers and teams whose reputations have been won in the Hudson Bay sweepstakes and other famous speed events in the northland.

The Derby will furnish a test of endurance not only for the rival breeds of dogs but also for the Indian and the pale faced drivers. Among the entrants is the famous full-blood Cree, Tommy Spence, of Bad Throat, Man., veteran of many a hard-fought finish, and John Isfeld, of Gimli, who went through the Lake Winnipeg country a few years ago to select the 100 best dogs of the district for Sir Ernest Shackleton's party to drive on its quest for the South Pole. Isfeld will drive a team of black and white huskies, all blood relatives of the Shackleton dogs.

CRACK HURDLER FOR HARVARD

Billy Meanix, Former Colby Star, to Wear Crimson.

Billy Meanix, the former Colby athlete, will have a chance to win an intercollegiate championship. The former English High, Colby and Boston Athletic association athlete is back at Cambridge and is doing all right in his studies. Meanix will probably compete for Harvard in the three cornered meet which Harvard and Dartmouth and University of Pennsylvania will have at Mechanics' hall, Boston, Feb. 17.

He will not represent the Boston Athletic association this year. Meanix will probably stick to the 220 low hurdle game during the spring outdoor season and should add greatly to the strength of the Harvard hurdlers.

Billy Sunday will Bid Farewell to Boston Tonight

Boston, Jan. 15.—Boston tonight will bid farewell to Billy Sunday.

At the huge tabernacle on Huntington avenue, over the spot where twenty years ago he ran bases faster than any other big league player in the business, the rampant revivalist will preach his last sermon to the folks who invented dignity and have a strange hold on culture.

Billy hasn't landed such a gosh awful wallop to the sense of the fitness of things among the stiff necks as was expected.

Of course all the precise ladies and gentlemen around Back Bay equipped their brains with shock absorbers when he first came, but it wasn't long before they took them off. He proved more interesting than distasteful. "Who," in Billy's own words, "was the mutt that said Boston was clammy?"

Sunday was "received" by the elite; and the ladies came in liberal quantities and fancy gowns to be shocked by meeting him. That didn't happen to be one of Billy's days for shocking, however, and so the party was disappointed.

Much of the revivalist's time from now on will be devoted to preparing his New York campaign, which begins April 1.

Sunday's conversions here numbered into the thousands. His one stinging defeat was the loss of his fight to put Boston dry. It went wet by a heavier majority than ever before, despite Sunday's battle.

Penn Plans a Huge Stadium

BY H. C. HAMILTON, (United Press Staff Correspondent.)

New York, Jan. 15.—An even greater amphitheatre than the massive bowl in which Yale's athletic contests are held, towering out of Woodlands Ravine at Philadelphia, is probable for the University of Pennsylvania. Steps already have been taken to assure erection of the structure. Alumni, students and faculty are working hard to make the dream a reality. Presents plans for the structure call for an amphitheatre which will seat 100,000 persons, many thousands more than can be jammed into Franklin field even by the greatest effort. The need of a new stadium became positive at the Pennsylvania-Cornell football game last Thanksgiving day, when thousands were unable to gain admission. To erect the stadium the usual procedure probably will be followed. Alumni will guarantee funds, receiving interest on the sums out of proceeds. The plan includes the application of all money over the interest to the furthermost of athletics at Pennsylvania.

Only one stadium in history, the Circus Maximus, which flourished in Rome, exceeds the seating capacity of the stadium planned for Philadelphia. The great Roman arena, authorities say, seated nearly 300,000 persons, some going so far as to place the figure at more than 400,000. The new Penn stadium would have room to seat comfortably 100,000, with provision for increasing this capacity.

OPPOSE PLAN TO RESHAPE EUROPE

Berlin Papers Say Entente Is Out for Conquest.

NOTE CLEARS ATMOSPHERE

German Press Comment on the Allies Reply to President Wilson's Peace Proposal Lays Emphasis on the Decisive Character of the Declarations.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Further comment on the entente note to President Wilson lays emphasis on the decisive character of the declarations, which clear the air, the newspapers say, and give the central powers a defined goal—defense against the plan of their opponents for remarking the map of Europe.

Even Vorwaerts now turns to the Socialist dissenters who have been demanding peace "without conquerors, without conquered."

Germany's enemies are not ready to give such a peace, it declares, hence "every deed and every word tending to shake the self-defensive will of the German people would be a crime against the German people."

Vorwaerts says that the terms are such as could be dictated only after the entente had occupied the chief cities of their opponents and broken hopelessly their power of resistance and that the note is a new declaration of war with limitless aims of conquest.

It declares the note was intended to frighten the central powers into submission, but "the entente forgets that willingness of the German government to yield would encounter a barrier in the will of the German people, who after such unexampled sacrifices and such mighty military successes would not tolerate without compulsion the placing of Germany in a position of a conquered state."

Referring to Belgium, Vorwaerts says:

"The prospect of reaching an agreement is jeopardized seriously by the crazy demands of the note."

VIENNA PAPERS INDIGNANT

Comment Sarcastically on Demands of the Allies.

Amsterdam, Jan. 15.—Vienna newspapers express the greatest indignation over the peace demands of the entente allies. The Fremdenblatt, commenting on the demand for the liberation of the Slavs, Roumanians and Czech slovak, says:

"Many peoples under entente rule would be happy if they possessed the rights and liberties already possessed by the peoples under Austro-Hungarian rule."

The newspaper thinks that the whole note originated in England.

 + FORCED TO THROW MAIL INTO THE SEA.
 + London, Jan. 15.—A Reuter dispatch from Stockholm says: "The captain of the Swedish steamer Ingeborg, belonging to the Thule line, who has returned to Gothenburg from England, says that his steamer was stopped in the North sea by a German submarine and that he was compelled to throw into the sea all the mail from entente countries, consisting of 700 sacks."

ARREST FOLLOWS EXPLOSION PROBE

New York, Jan. 15.—One man was arrested and two others, it is expected, will be taken into custody following an investigation into the explosion at the Du Pont de Nemours works, according to a statement by Chief of Police Miller of Pompton Lakes, N. J. The man under arrest, it was said, was employed at the plant only one day. He is charged with vagrancy.

Mayor Henry G. Hirschfeld of Pompton Lakes said that an inquest should be conducted by the Passaic county officials into the explosion.

Two men employed in a house where powder was glazed were killed, but all other employees have been accounted for, it was announced by the company.

CHURCH WRECKED BY BOMB

Chicago Police and Priest Mystified as to Motive.

Chicago, Jan. 15.—Police are at a loss for a motive for the placing of the bomb which wrecked the St. Louis Roman Catholic church on the South Side.

Investigation disclosed that six persons living nearby had been injured by the explosion. Many windows in the neighborhood were shattered.

Rev. R. P. Pugn, pastor of the church, asserted that the cause of the depredation was a mystery to him.

DEATH BY BOILING

The Way Poisoners Fared in the Old Days in England.

TORTURE FOR MINOR CRIMES.

Mutilation Used to Be a Favorite Form of Punishment, and the Slanderer's Tongue Was Plucked Out—The Penalty for High Treason.

In these merciful days, when a man who publishes a libel on the king escapes with a few months' imprisonment, it seems scarcely credible that as late as 1570 the punishment ordained by the law for high treason was that the offender should be drawn on a hurdle to the place of execution and there should be hanged by the neck until he was dead; that then his head should be severed from his body, that his body be divided into four quarters and that his head and quarters be at the disposal of the crown.

And this was by no means the worst fate that might befall a criminal in the so called "good old days," as one John Roose, a cook of Henry VIII's day, found to his cost. Roose was convicted of the heinous crime of putting poison in the broth intended for the family of no less a personage than the bishop of Rochester. For such a crime hanging, drawing and quartering was too merciful a punishment.

"Something lingering, with boiling oil," or at least water, was decided to be the punishment that best fitted the crime, and with this object a special act of parliament was passed ordaining boiling alive as the punishment for this felony. John Roose expiated his sins in a cauldron of hot water, and a few years later, in 1542, one Margaret Davy met the same fate at Smithfield.

So gravely was the crime of poisoning regarded in these days of old that, it is recorded, a Scotsman, one Thomas Belle, and his son were banished for life for administering poison to a couple of noisy hens belonging to a neighbor.

These were indeed days when the man of violent temper or criminal tendencies must operate warily. If by any evil chance he came to blows and drew blood within the precincts of the king's palace he was inevitably condemned to lose his right hand, and a statute of Henry VIII, regulated the whole gawdawdy ceremony, with all its functions, from the surgeon who was to amputate the offending member, to the individual who used the searing irons, the yeoman of the scullery who made the irons red hot at his fire and the sergeant of the cellar who was provided "with a pot of red wine to give the same party after his hand is so stricken off and the stump seared."

Mutilation was a favorite form of punishment in those good old days, following, no doubt, the Scriptural penalty, "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth." Thus the slanderer's tongue was pulled out, so that he could at least utter slander no more, and he who destroyed the sight of a one eyed man lost both his own eyes.

By the Coventry act in the time of Charles II, any person who should maliciously put out the eye, slit the nose or disable any limb of another with intent to maim or disfigure him was to pay for the wrong with his life. By another act the man who fought with weapons in a church had one of his ears cut off. If he had already lost both ears, as many a malefactor had, he was branded in the cheek with the letter "F."

By an act of Queen Elizabeth's reign the forger was condemned to stand in the pillory, to have his ears cut off by the common hangman, his nostrils slit up and seared and to be imprisoned for life, and by a statute of James I, an unfortunate bankrupt was nailed by an ear to the pillory for two hours, and then his ear was cut off.

If an enterprising farmer were foolish enough to send any of his live sheep out of the country he paid a terrible price for his rashness, for his goods were forfeited, he was sent to jail for twelve months, and on recovering his liberty his left hand was cut off in a public market and nailed up there as a warning against the danger of illicit exports. If he offended a second time he paid for his daring with his life. If he set covetous eyes on a neighbor's sheep and annexed one of them he was unceremoniously hanged by the neck until he was dead. Indeed, thousands of unfortunates paid with their lives for thefts much more insignificant.

Burning alive was, of course, a common punishment for witchcraft for many a century, down to a couple of hundred years ago, and many of the victims who were accused of "selling their souls to the devil" were children under ten years of age.

In 1726 Edward Burnworth, a highwayman, refusing to plead, was loaded with boards and weights. For more than an hour he bore a mass of metal weighing nearly four hundredweight, when human flesh could bear the agony no more, and he prayed to be put to the rack again. He pleaded "Not guilty," but was nevertheless found guilty and ended his days on the scaffold. This cruel punishment survived to George III's time.—London Tit-Bits.

Literal Apprehension. She—Let's make up our minds to tell the folks we're engaged. He—But, darling, I am afraid your father will kick. Baltimore American.

Discretion of speech is more desirable than eloquence.

PLAN TO MAKE MANN SPEAKER

House Republicans Working on Reorganization Scheme.

PETITION ASKS CONFERENCE

Progressive Branch Hopes to Land Its Program Calling for Representative Lenroot for Floor Leader and Appointment of a Committee on Committees.

Washington, Jan. 15.—Republicans in the house will reorganize under a plan which they hope will give them control of legislation at a party conclave to be held late this month.

A petition asking that such a conference be called is being circulated quietly by Representative Gardner, Republican, of Massachusetts and undoubtedly the wish will be met.

Representative Gardner recently became sponsor for the candidacy of Representative Irving L. Lenroot of Wisconsin for speaker and announced his opposition to Representative James R. Mann of Illinois. Mr. Lenroot gave no encouragement to the suggestion. The Progressive Republicans do not favor the selection of Mr. Lenroot as speaker.

If the Progressive Republicans get their reorganization program through this is what it will be:

Mann to be the next speaker of the house.

Lenroot to succeed him as Republican floor leader.

A committee on committees to be appointed to displace the present method of naming committeemen by the ways and means committee.

Desires New Floor Leader.

Progressives would like to "kick Mr. Mann upstairs" and elevate him to the speakership in order to take from him the Republican floor leadership.

Bitter criticisms against Minority Leader Mann are not infrequently indulged in by Progressive Republicans in the house. They think he is dictatorial, that he robs ambitious members of opportunities to which they believe they are entitled and that he humiliates new members especially by "squelching" them down gently in private.

All this, they say, is bad for the esprit de corps of the Republican party.

They do not question Mr. Mann's industry or ability. One of the Progressive Republicans has had this to say: "James R. Mann is one of the ablest parliamentarians of his day. He is a hard worker and has earned recognition from his party."

"But the Republican party requires more progressive leadership on the floor than it has now and the election of Mr. Mann as speaker would make way for one whose temperament and line of thought is more in harmony with the spirit of his party nationally."

CRUISER AGROUND CALLED TOTAL LOSS

Eureka, Cal., Jan. 15.—The United States protected cruiser Milwaukee, which went ashore on Samoa beach near here while trying to pull off the stranded submarine H-3, cannot be refloated, it was announced here by J. D. Frazer, expert mechanical engineer, who at the solicitation of Lieutenant W. F. Newton, in command, made a survey of the cruiser.

Frazer, using candles to light the way and accompanied by Lieutenant Newton and members of his staff, made a thorough examination of the vessel.

Work of salvaging the submarine was turned over to a private concern at a contract price of \$18,000.

MAILMAN COMMITS SUICIDE

New Yorker, Worth \$300,000, Kept His \$1,200 Job.

New York, Jan. 15.—Although he had amassed a fortune by investments in real estate which increased rapidly in value Martin L. Henry clung to his job as a mail carrier at a salary of \$1,200 a year. He entered the service in 1882, when he was thirty years old. Henry committed suicide by inhaling illuminating gas, leaving a note in which he said:

"I am tired of life." He was reputed to be worth \$300,000 and was said probably to be the wealthiest active letter carrier in the country.

TAXICAB STRIKE SETTLED

Three Gotham Companies Reach Agreement With Employes.

New York, Jan. 15.—A strike of 650 drivers of three taxicab companies, which has been in progress here for several days, has been settled. The strike stopped taxicab service at railroad stations and hotels.

ODD WAYS OF USING GOLD.

They Didn't Impress the Man Who Had None to Squander.

"I reckon I would be liable to be as many different kinds of fool as almost anybody else if I should suddenly get possession of a large amount of money," said the man in straitened circumstances. "I have noticed that people who are so fortunate as to do that often show remarkable versatility in their choice of ridiculous performances. The very ability to realize desires that have long been held in abeyance by lack of means seems sometimes to develop absurdities in a man's nature which no one else would suspect if he had remained poor."

"Sometimes a man will do things that are not really absurd, but only seem whimsical. I knew one man who, when he received an unexpected legacy, bought himself twenty-five pairs of shoes with the first money he spent. He said the one greatest inconvenience of poverty to him had always been the wearing of old shoes."

"Another man I once knew certainly did provoke mirth among his acquaintances when he had all the stovepipes in his house gilded before he spent any of his new money for anything else. I don't know that he was any more foolish than one of the multi-millionaires I read about who had the handrail of the grand stairway of his country house covered with a casing of solid gold. One seems about as grotesque as the other to me."

"And there is another thing I wouldn't do. It came to my mind recently when my wife showed me a piano in a store window. It was entirely covered with gold or what looked like gold. I agreed with her that it was pretty, but I said that I would not care to have it in our house."

"Gold is certainly a good thing to have, and I'd like to have a lot of it, but I don't think I'd like to have it too much in evidence all the time."—New York Sun.

Old Mexican Legend.

The early Tarascans, a Mexican tribe, once possessed the art, now lost, of tempering copper. One of their legends is not far removed from the Bible story of Noah. According to them, Trezipi—their Noah—escaped an all destroying flood in a great boat laden with animals. Even the story of the dove is closely followed, for Trezipi sent forth first a vulture and then a humming bird, and so ascertained that dry land existed.

Helping Out.

"And has your daughter's course in domestic science interested her any in the housework?"

"To some extent. Occasionally she condescends to show her mother where in old fashioned methods are all wrong."—Kansas City Journal.

Dubious Outlook.

"I understand you have a new neighbor. Do you expect to be friendly with him?"

"I hope for the best, but he has five little boys, and my library windows are in an exposed position."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

Two of a Kind.

"Everything I have in this world I owe to my wife."

"I'm almost like you too. Everything I owe in this world my wife bought."—Detroit Free Press.

"Our candidate wasn't born in a log cabin."

"No, but it's all right. He comes under the new category—played on the football team in college."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

DRINK A GLASS OF REAL HOT WATER BEFORE BREAKFAST.

Says we will both look and feel clean, sweet and fresh and avoid illness.

Sanitary science has of late made rapid strides with results that are of untold blessing to humanity. The latest application of its untiring research is the recommendation that it is as necessary to attend to internal sanitation of the drainage system of the human body as it is to the drains of the house.

Those of us who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when we arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus, cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the phosphated hot water is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble, rheumatic stiffness; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very little, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of internal sanitation.

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